



The RIDBA Building Awards 2021

The Rural and Industrial Design and Building Association (RIDBA) is delighted to present the RIDBA Building Awards showcasing the best in rural and industrial buildings.

The shortlist will be announced in April 2021 and the awards will be presented at the RIDBA Building Awards dinner in September 2021 – date and venue to be confirmed. The Judging Panel's decision will be final.

Rules for Entry

1. The RIDBA Building Awards are free to enter.
2. All entries must be received by RIDBA by **Wednesday 31 March 2021 at 5:00pm**. Entries received after this date will not be considered.
3. Entries must contain all information as set out on this form.
4. Entries can be submitted [online](#) or by hard copy in the post.
5. There is no limit on the number of entries, but a separate form must be used for each individual project.
6. The Awards are open to RIDBA members only.
7. Projects must be in the UK or the Republic of Ireland.
8. Projects should have a completion date between 1 December 2018 and 28 February 2021.
9. Projects must have the approval of all parties involved in the project including the building owner if required.
10. Projects must have not been previously entered for the RIDBA Awards.

How to enter

1. Complete this Entry Form in full.
2. The quality of photographs is vital to the success of your entry. Please provide a good selection of high resolution photos – before, after and work in progress, including close-up and detailed shots where possible. It is important that the images are of good quality, as this will help the judging panel when making their final decisions.
3. The photographs should be checked by the company safety officer to ensure compliance with any relevant Health & Safety Regulations (e.g. correct PPE).
4. Photographs must be electronic – minimum resolution 300dpi – (either via emailed, file transfer, USB or CD) for the entry to progress. Unless specifically requested, USB sticks and CDs will not be returned.
5. You may submit supporting material but this must be saved in a suitable file format (Word, PDF, JPEG or TIFF).

Please complete the [online form](#) or send your completed Entry Form together with high resolution images via CB/ USB memory stick or via email with a Dropbox link by Wednesday 31 March at 5:00pm to:

**RIDBA, The Building Centre, 26 Store Street, London WC1E 7BT
admin@ridba.org.uk**

By submitting photos of your project, you give permission for RIDBA to use the images in connection with promotion of the RIDBA Building Awards including the awards brochure, RIDBA Journal and website.



Entry Form

Company Information

Company Name	
Contact Name	
Email	
Telephone Number	

Category

Please select the award category that you are entering:

Award Category	Description	Entry
Rural	Cattle, Equestrian, Captive (zoo) and Domestic	
Industrial	Light, Medium or Large	
Other	Retail, Manufacturing, Leisure, Education and MOD	
Training Award	This includes either Schemes and Projects or Managers and Apprentices	

Depending on the entries received, we reserve the right to merge, sub-divide or delete categories as necessary.

Please complete all parts of the Entry Form for the Category you are entering and consider the following criteria:

Judging Criteria

- Degree of Difficulty (complexity of details)
- Workmanship
- Problem Solving (e.g. coping with constraints)
- Contribution to the Built Environment (value to the local area)
- Environmental Qualities (e.g. conservation of heat/power, use of natural light, "green" materials, reclaimed or locally sourced materials)
- Aesthetics (visual impact, appearance)
- Meeting Targets (finished to budget and on time)
- Particular consideration is given for special initiatives, and for the challenges that were resolved in the duration of the project.



Section 1 – Project Entries

Project Name	
Project Address	
Construction/Project Type	
Project Completion Date	
Project Building Size (in ft/ m²)	

Project Description *(include type of building (e.g. milking parlour, animal housing etc.) and what work needed to be done):*

Materials *(please list manufacturers and suppliers that you worked with on the project):*

Please explain more about the project and in particular your reasons for entering it.

This should be a minimum of 200 words:



Additional Information (*Optional*):



Section 2 – Training Award

Criteria

Schemes and projects:

- Company culture towards training and evidence of a continued long-term strategy for training
- Examples of innovation in methods and successful schemes for training
- Results of training strategy

Managers and Apprentices:

- Commitment to personal development and progression through skills and learning
- Evidence of contribution to the organisation or to a project where the individual exceeded expectations
- Qualities that make the individual stand out

Training Record (schemes and projects)

No. of Employees	
No. of Qualifications Achieved in 2019/20	
% of Site-Based Staff holding CSCS Cards	
No. of Apprentices	
No. of Training Hours completed in 2019/20	
Details of Company Training Plan or Policy	

Training Record (managers and apprentices)

Name of Individual	
Job Role	
Company	



Use this box to explain your reasons for entering the Training Award
This should be a minimum of 200 words: